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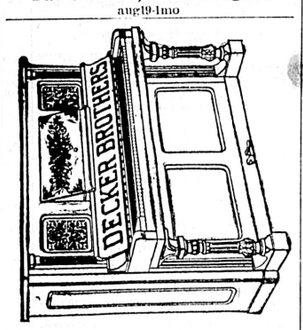

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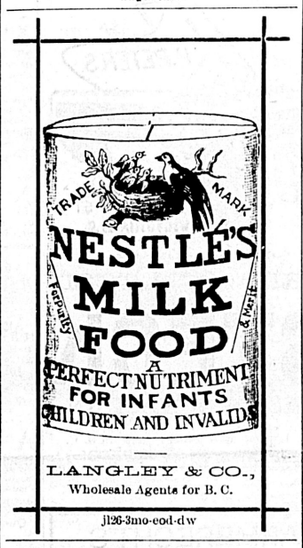

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Blue Ribbon Temperance Rally!

As foreshadowed in a previous note, the Blue Ribbon Temperance Club will resume public work at Temperance Hall, Pandora Avenue, on **WEDNESDAY NEXT**, 22nd August, on which occasion REV. J. E. STARR has consented to deliver an Address—Subject: "Gospel Temperance." As this is a topic imperfectly understood by many, all temperance people are urged to be present. Adhesions to the Temperance reform movement gladly received during the evening. Entrance free; collection to meet expenses; unhappily funds are low. Chair to be taken at 8 p. m., *punctually.*
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Trains leave at 8:20 a. m., and 3:32 p.m.

TICKETS.—Adults, one dollar; Children between 5 and 12, fifty cents. To be had of R. Jamieson, J. Finlayson, T. N. Hibben, and members of Committee.
F. S. MACLURE,
aug15-td Secretary.

GRANVILLE SQATTERS CLAIMS.

Hon. Chancellor Boyd, Sole Arbitrator in the Case, Makes Known His Decisions—Full Text of the Document.

The following copy of the award made by the Hon. Chancellor Boyd in the case of the Granville squatters against the C. P. R. Company has been handed to us for publication:

Pursuant to the provisions of the statute of the Province of British Columbia, passed in the fifty-first year of the reign of Her Majesty, chaptered fourteen and entitled "An Act to adjust the Rights of Settlers in the former Townsite of Granville," I, the Honourable John Alexander Boyd, Chancellor of the Province of Ontario, being appointed sole arbitrator to deal with the matters therein referred to arbitration, did proceed to hear and determine the said matters and thereupon I was attended by all parties interested therein who gave evidence and presented their respective contentions before me, and in respect thereof I do make this my award in the premises.

And it appearing before me that of the fifteen claimants whose claims the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in the said Act named at first refused to recognize, six were subsequently recognized and admitted; these six being the persons following, namely: A. W. Sullivan, H. G. Onderkirk, J. J. Hayden, N. Hjorth, Alfred King, and A. McCrimmon, it fell to me to deal with the claims of the nine remaining claimants, namely, C. C. Ralston, John Jacklin, A. H. Byram, James Orr, William Mashiter, A. E. McCartney, J. B. Henderson, John Angus and George Preston, which I have disposed of as follows:

The claim of C. C. Ralston to receive lot 9 in block 3 at the price of two hundred dollars is well-founded and has been established, and I do hereby allow the same.

The claim of John Jacklin to receive lot 5 in block 5 has not been substantiated before me, and I do hereby disallow the same.

The claim of A. H. Byram to receive lot 4 in block 5 has not been substantiated before me, and I do hereby disallow the same.

The claim of James Orr to receive lots 13 and 14 in block 5 is well-founded and has been proved in so far as lot 14 is concerned, but it is not well-founded so far as lot 13 is concerned, and I therefore declare the said James Orr entitled to receive lot 14 in block 5 at the price of two hundred dollars, but he has no valid claim to lot 13 in the same block, and I do hereby disallow that part of his said claim.

The claim of William Mashiter to receive lot 1 in block 17 has not been proved, and I hereby disallow the same.

The claim of A. E. McCartney to receive lot 2 in block 17 has not been proved, and I do hereby disallow the same.

The claim of J. B. Henderson to receive lot 7 in block 17 at the price of two hundred dollars is well-founded, and has been established, and I do hereby allow the same.

The claim of John Angus to receive lot 11 in block 3 has not been proved, and I do hereby disallow the same.

The claim of George Preston to receive lot 18 in block 17 at the price of two hundred dollars is well-founded and has been established, and I do hereby allow the same.

The said Act having made provisions for costs in section seven, therefore I make no award thereupon.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand at Vancouver City this 15th day of August, A.D., 1888.

(Signed) J. A. BOYD.

Signed in presence of ALEX. B. SMITH of Vancouver. B.C.

BIG BEND MINES.

The Ophir Co. Reach Bed-rock—Good Returns on French Creek—Gold Washing on the Bars of the Columbia—Smith Creek.

From a recent arrival from the Big Bend mines, north of Revelstoke, it is learned that the placer mines in that district are paying very well this season. The principal industry is that of the Ophir Bedrock Flume Co., of which Mr. Jas. Gray, one of the best practical miners in British Columbia, is the manager. This company have been at work for several years on McCulloch Creek, where they have extensive works to cope with the heavy character of material met with. A couple of weeks ago bed-rock in mid-channel was reached and there is every indication that large returns will result. Another flume has been constructed above the bed-rock to carry off the heavier portion of the boulder and when a wash-up takes place in the fall it is fully expected that a considerable amount of gold will be taken out, though it will be next year before everything is in full working order. The company have every confidence in their claim, and this is backed up by the fact that over a thousand dollars was picked off the bed-rock from the dirt in a short space of time.

On French Creek three companies have been at work and each were taking out gold. Two of the companies had to shut down recently owing to the non-arrival of supplies caused by the washing away of a bridge. The third company, however, is still working and it is understood that they have been taking an ounce per day to the man.

On Smith Creek, on the west side of the Columbia, a number of miners have been sluicing and are taking out good wages.

On several of the bars of the river, also on the western side, opposite the mouth of Gold Creek, a number of men have been securing excellent returns when the stage of the river permitted them to work - it is said twenty dollars per day to the man. As they have little means they have not been able to bring water by ditch, otherwise handsome returns would have been secured.

There are good prospects that the mining interests of the Big Bend will be well developed in the near future, and if proper roads are made there would be a large expenditure in opening up promising mining ground.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Baptist Church, Herald street—Rev. M. L. Rugg, Pastor. Preaching services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday-school at the close of morning service. In the evening the sermon will be to young men. Subject, "The Glory of Young men." Young men especially invited. All made welcome.

Reformed Episcopal Church services on Sunday, at the usual hours of public worship, conducted by the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge and Rev. Dr. Reid. Sunday school in the afternoon, at 2:45 o'clock. Weekly services on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Gorge Road: Rev. J. Hairawa will preach in the morning. Mr. Hairawa is a native Japanese preacher, a man of great ability and eloquence. Rev. J. W. Wadman will preach in the evening. Subject: "Practical suggestions to young men in reference to the choice of a profession."

AMERICAN NEWS.

Mrs. Parnell, on Behalf of Her Son Makes a Vigorous Appeal to Home Rulers.

Female Foot Pads Assault and Attempt to Rob a Man in the Streets of Chicago.

The Great Ocean Race Declared Off—Singular Accident to a Farmer, His Wife and Son.

Killed in a Well.

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, Aug. 18.—A peculiar accident occurred near this city yesterday, resulting in the death of George Owens, his wife and son. The two men were engaged in digging a well on their farm, and were hoisting earth and stone with a windlass, rope and heavy bucket. As the father was dragging up a load the rope broke and the bucket fell a distance of 100 feet, striking the son, who was in the well. As soon as assistance could be procured the father was lowered into the well, where he found his son insensible. The young man was drawn up and the rope lowered for the father, who was hoisted almost to the surface when the rope again broke and the man fell to the bottom, breaking his neck and causing instant death. Before the father could be removed from the well the son, whose skull was crushed and shoulder blades broken, died, and both bodies were taken to their home. Mrs. Owens was so prostrated by the shock of the death of her husband and son that she has since died also.

Attacked by Female Footpads.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—At an early hour this morning the notorious Minnie Daley, Lucy Arada, and Stella Wright, said to be a sister of Minnie Daly, attempted to rob a stranger on Madison street in front of the Brevoort House. Two of the women grabbed him while the third struck him several times in the face by a pair of brass knuckles. The man shouted for help and Officer Ahern went to his rescue. At sight of the officer a cab driver threw two of them into his cab and started away at a rapid pace. Minnie Daley made her escape through an alley. The officer followed the cab and caught it at the corner of Canal and Adams streets. On the way to the station the two women pulled out a roll of money and offered the officer $100 to allow them to go free. The man who was assaulted was carried away to a doctor before the officer returned and his name could not be learned.

An Appeal to Home Rulers.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Mr. P. C. McCourt, of the sixth auditor's office, has read a letter from Mrs. Parnell, in which she makes a vigorous appeal to all friends of home rule for Ireland, who may possess any letters or evidence useful to her son's defence from the attacks of the London *Times*, to forward the same to Mrs. Parnell, Ironsides Park, Bordentown, New Jersey. In the letter she says: "But now to my anguish, my wise, kind and noble son Charles is at last exposed to heavy expenses and a trial, which may end like that of Smith O'Brien's, in confiscation of his property, for one can hardly believe but that the object of the Tory government is *imprimus* to cut off his own means. God grant that nothing worse may be their design."

Riotous Negroes Killed.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 18.—Reports from Freetown and other sources indicate that more than twenty negroes were killed on Thursday by regulars, and several others wounded. It has leaked out in the face of repeated declarations from various sources that the troubles in New Iberia are neither social nor political. It is vehemently asserted by good citizens that black and white are banded in an effort to suppress disorders of lawless and immoral classes of blacks. The story of a mass meeting of blacks and whites to bring about order is repeated. A special dispatch from Shreveport says a report has been received there that on Tuesday last a negro was hanged by the mob in a big Cypress cayon in Bossier parish, for breaking into a store and stealing a sum of money.

The Ocean Race Declared off.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—The ocean race of the four big steamships from New York to Europe will not take place. The commanders and the engineers of the Umbria and City of New York have been cautioned not to speed their vessels under a penalty of suspension. Therefore the Ems and La Bourgoyne will probably jog along at their accustomed gait. The officers of both the Umbria and the City of New York to-day positively declared that no thought was entertained of trying to cut down the record, and they expressed their doubts as to whether any money had been wagered on such a thing.

Sioux City Corn Palace.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Aug. 18.—The first contract for corn for the decoration of the Sioux City corn palace was let yesterday. The contract is for eighty acres which will amount to about 4,000 bushels. Over 30,000 bushels will be required. There have been apprehensions that the corn would be too late for the palace but the early fields will be in time.

Murdered by a Seaman.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—Jno. Maata, a lumberman, 36 years of age, was found dead to-day in his room in a lodging house. His death was the result of an altercation with a ship carpenter, on the 5th inst., named Carl Fortrean, when the latter struck Maata on the head with a blunt instrument. Fortrean sailed with his vessel, the ship Margaret, for Tacoma two days ago.

Mackay's Little Old Log Cabin.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—The old log cabin which John W. Mackay occupied while mining in Sierra county from 1850 to 1860 was put up at auction to-day, but as not over $2,500 was bid for it, it was not sold.

Accidentally Shot.

PHŒNIX, Aug. 18.—James Dennis, an old citizen of this city, was instantly killed this morning while shooting rabbits and quail with an old muzzle loading shotgun. He was in the act of reloading one barrel when the other was discharged, the load entering his left side in the region of the heart.

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FIGHT WITH HARD GLOVES.

La Blanche, "The Marine," Knocks out Varley, English Middle-Weight, in Three Rounds—The Whole Party Arrested on Their Return to New York.

[Special to THE COLONIST.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Near Yonkers, early this morning, La Blanche, "The Marine," fought Jack Varley, English middle-weight, with hard gloves for a stake of $250 a side. La Blanche was attended by Jack Fallon and Frank Moran, while Varley was seconded by Charley Morton. Lablanche is five feet, seven inches; weight, 160 pounds. Varley is five feet, seven and three-fourths inches; weight, 159½ pounds. Time was called at 5:21 a. m. In the first round The Marine got in two left-handers without any return, closing Varley's right eye and drawing first blood. In the second round Varley came up well, getting in one good left-hander that cut the Canadian's right eye. La Blanche repaid him with a right-hand half-upper cut, a clear knock-down. Third round—La Blanche had it all his own way, striking Varley hard all over the twenty-four-foot ring and finally, by a terrific left-hander on the left ear, Varley was sent to his corner and refused to go on. The Marine was awarded the fight. Time, nine minutes, four seconds. The men, with their seconds and a number of well-known sports, including Jack Dempsey, Denny Costigan and Ed. Plummer, on their return on the tug, were arrested by officers from the police boat parole, and landed at pier A, from whence they were taken to the adjoining police station. The men arrested were arraigned in the Tombs police court before Justice Power on a charge of disorderly conduct in being present at a prize fight. The prisoners, numbering 108 in all, were discharged with the exception of the principals in the fight, La Blanche and Varley, who were held in $500 each for trial.

HARRISON HOT SPRINGS

Destined to be a Popular Resort—The Many Attractions of the Place.

St. Alice Hotel, Harrison hot springs, is destined to become one of the most popular pleasure and health resorts on the coast. There are several reasons for this assertion. The springs possess remarkable medicinal properties and many wonderful cures have been effected through their agency; they are situated on a lovely sheet of water forty miles in length, dotted with picturesque islands, while the surrounding scenery is grand and beautiful; the hotel is well-built, well-furnished and well-managed; the springs are easy of access at all seasons of the year by rail and water, while the climate is pleasant and subject to no severe or sudden changes; together with all these advantages the streams and lakes, woods and hills abound with fish and game of great variety, making it a veritable sportsman's paradise. It can therefore be readily seen that the resort will become famous so soon as its attractions are widely known, and the improvements in the grounds are made.

At the present time the hotel is as comfortable as any one could desire, while the bath house, which in the second story is divided into well furnished rooms, is fitted on most comfortable, convenient and sanitary principles. The two are connected by a short pathway winding along the shore of the lake in the midst of a profusion of lovely verdure. The table is excellent, the *cuisine* being under the superintendence of an experienced *chef*, while the vegetables, etc., are grown in a plot near the hotel and are always fresh and good. Several cows are kept so that cream and milk are always fresh and sweet, and enterprising barnyard fowls contribute their quota to the food supply. The above being the case, and trout and game procurable as needed, it can well be understood that the fare served to guests at St. Alice Hotel is always of a tempting and palatable nature, a most desirable feature whether the guest is there simply for pleasure or for the purpose of benefiting the health.

The grounds are being constantly improved, and the annoying mosquito will soon be shut out, if not altogether, at any rate to a great extent. At present the mosquito season is over, and very few are lingering around to take the visitor in. Life, therefore, is pleasant. In July these pests were very numerous, while last year they were more so. This has undoubtedly kept many from visiting the resort, but no fear need now be felt on that score for the festive mosquito has vanished.

Lieut.-Governor Schultz was expected to arrive at Harrison to-day. He has secured an acre of ground fronting on the lake, and the material is already there for erecting a summer residence for himself. Governor Schultz derived great benefit from the waters of the Harrison springs, and will make a lengthy stay this time. It is also expected that Lieutenant-Governor Royal of the Northwest Territory and Premier Greenway, of Manitoba, will accompany him.

The invalid, the weary business man, the tourist, the artist, or sportsman, or families desiring a season of recreation, could not choose a better place for resort than St. Alice Hotel. Numerous pleasure skiffs are provided for guests, and a row or sail on the lake or river or a visit to the many interesting points on their shores may be taken at leisure and with pleasure; while if fond of fishing there are streams and little lakes within easy distance where gamey mountain trout are in abundance. The main lake also abounds in large trout. Lazily inclined the guest may secure supreme enjoyment in an easy chair or a hammock on the wide verandah, from which the view in all directions is filled with beauties. A chair may be taken to the path to the springs, and a book read or a cigar smoked in comfort amid the shade of leafy loveliness. There are numerous ways in which rest may be had or pleasure enjoyed, to detail which would be tiring. Suffice it to say that if you are tired of the monotony of daily business or domestic cares, or need a change of air and invigoration of the system, and desire a comfortable and pleasant place where every want is anticipated by an obliging hotel manager and staff, then purchase your tickets and turn your face towards St. Alice hotel, Harrison lake. You can satisfy your heart's wish and return refreshed, delighted with your experiences and feeling on better terms with the world generally.

The road from Aggaziz to the hotel is being daily improved and is even now in good order, so that the five miles drive in by stage is a pleasurable one. The farms along its course are being more and more cleared every day, and when they and the Dominion experimental farm, which adjoins the railway, are in a state of cultivation, the valley will be one of the prettiest in the country.

Mr. J. R. Brown is manager of the hotel, and with his two brothers, a pleasant housekeeper and attentive staff of waitresses and others, puts forth every endeavor to make the stay of the visitor a pleasant one. The charges are reasonable, from $1.50 to $3 per day.

WESTMINSTER NEWS.

Contract Let for Clearing Right of Way for the Southern Railway.

Work Will be Commenced on Monday—Brutal Murder by an Italian During a Drunken Quarrel—Large Hotel to be Built at Boundary Bay—Schooner Bertha Dolbeer Sails for Mexico With 365,000 Feet of Lumber.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

WESTMINSTER, Aug. 18.—The schooner Bertha Dolbeer cleared to-night for Guaymas, Mexico, with 365,000 feet of lumber, loaded at the Royal City mills. Captain McAllister piloted her out.

Card sharpers and gamblers travelling with the circus caught a lot of tenderfeet and did them out of sums ranging from $10 to $100.

The contract for clearing the right of way for the Southern railway was let this afternoon to James Leamy, the well known contractor. The line is twenty-four miles in length and the amount of clearing to be done is 300 acres. Work will be commenced with a large force of men on Monday.

A brutal murder was committed this afternoon in a lane near the Merchant's Hotel. Two men, an Italian named Cotea, a boat-builder, and a half-breed Chilian named Baskett, a fisherman, were drinking together and disputing in the Merchant's Hotel. The frequent disputes caused the manager to put them out and they went into the lane and continued to quarrel. Finally they came to blows and Cotea knocked Baskett down and then kicked him with terrible force on the side of the head. Baskett doubled up, turned over and fell back dead. The murderer was instantly arrested and is in the lock-up, but he is too drunk to know what he has done. A coroner's inquest will be held.

A large summer hotel is to be erected immediately on Boundary Bay capable of accomodating 200 guests.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Proposed Scheme for the Crofter Settlement on Vancouver Island

Will be Fully Considered by the Commission During the Autumn Session of Parliament—Sir Charles Tupper Now Visiting the Crofter Districts—Fisheries Correspondence Issued—Immigration Statistics.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

A special cable states that the Scotch secretary has informed Mr. Begg that the scheme proposed for the Crofter settlement on Vancouver Island will be fully considered by the parliamentary commission during the autumn session and recommends him to lay his project in detail before that commission. Sir Charles Tupper is now visiting the Crofter districts.

The Quebec government have received from Rome a decree ratifying the settlement of the Jesuits' claims.

A pamphlet has been issued by the fisheries department containing the fisheries correspondence up to March last.

The total arrivals of immigrants in Canada for the past seven months numbers 104,000, against 86,000 for the same period last year.

PORT TOWNSEND.

Three Transcontinental Railways Seeking an Outlet in that City.

PORT TOWNSEND, Aug. 16.—Several prominent railroad officials have been in Port Townsend this week in consultation with the Port Townsend Southern Railroad Company's officers. The most prominent were W. H. Holcomb and A. L. Maxwell, of the O. R. & N. Co., who negotiated several important purchases on this bay. It was learned that these purchases were in behalf of the company they represent. All of the officials were averse to being interviewed, but enough was ascertained to warrant the assumption that three transcontinental railroads are bidding for an outlet on Port Townsend bay.

An officer of the local company said that the question as to what eastern railway would have its termination here would be definitely settled in a few days. The right of way for the road has been secured, and the eastern roads are bidding for the same privilege, guaranteeing to have railway communication from Portland to this city in three years.

THE RED RIVER ROAD.

The Manitoba Agreement With the Northern Pacific Set Aside.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 17.—The *Pioneer-Press* has from Winnipeg confirmation of the report that the agreement to complete the Red River Valley railroad between the Manitoba government and the Northern Pacific road is off. It is evidently the intention of the government to build the projected road itself, though some assert that the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba railroad have put in a bid that discounts its rival's offer.

MARINE.

Steamer George W. Elder called at Wellington on Thursday and took on 650 tons of coal.

Steamer Umatilla sailed from the outer wharf for San Francisco at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Steamship Southern California sailed from Wellington yesterday for San Francisco with 1,800 tons of coal.

Bark Leviathan, thirty-six days from San Diego, arrived in Royal roads yesterday morning. She will load lumber at Hastings for Melbourne.

Barkentine Modoc, Captain Bush, completed her cargo of Nanaimo coal on Friday, and will sail for Onalaska as soon as the American tug Rigg arrives from the Sound.

Ship Joseph S. Spinney will complete her cargo of Nanaimo coal to-morrow and will sail at once for San Francisco. This vessel has been chartered already to take another cargo of coal from the V. C. company.

Steamer Boscowitz and Sardonyx sailed for the north at 6 o'clock last evening. The former will go through to Fort Simpson while the

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THE FORTIFICATIONS.

The *Canadian Gazette*, published in London is unduly excited over the utterances of a "Colonel" Hamilton. It says: "The *Empire* publishes a letter from Colonel Hamilton, "late of British Columbia," protesting strongly against the decision of the Home Government to adhere to Esquimalt in preference to Burrard Inlet as our naval base on the Pacific. "Although not a commissioned military engineer," writes Colonel Hamilton, "I may possibly know as much about fortifications as Lord Elphinstone does—that is, at least, when I know and he does not know, the *locus* to be defended." Colonel Hamilton is evidently unaware, not only that Lord Elphinstone is an old naval officer, but also that he was, as he stated in the House of Lords, at Burrard Inlet himself only a short while back. At the same time, Lord Elphinstone was careful not to attempt to argue the matter as a question of what he personally approved or disapproved. There is evidently a great deal to be said for both places, but after all some one must in the end decide, and when the Imperial authorities with the advice of the most experienced naval and military officers in the service have once decided, we cannot but regret that their action should be labeled as "squandering money" and "infatuation," in the columns of a daily paper where no answer to Colonel Hamilton's strictures is likely to be forthcoming. On one point Colonel Hamilton is obviously under a misapprehension. In describing Burrard Inlet as a "rat-trap," Lord Elphinstone was referring not to an attack by sea, but to an advance by land across the United States frontier." If our esteemed contemporary knew more of "Colonel" Hamilton, and we should like to know where he got his title, it would hardly trouble itself to refer to him. The last intelligence we had of him was from a Winnipeg paper which stated that on his way East he had become somewhat deranged in that city. Probably he was in the same condition when he wrote the letter to the *Empire*.

A TERRIBLE ARMY.

The announcement that the Hawaiian navy has been abolished and the Hawaiian army reduced to sixty-five men, exclusive of the military band, will no doubt be received with satisfaction by the world at large. What the Hawaiian army may be when it is on a war footing is not stated, but it is probably over a hundred men, not counting the brass band. A military organization of that kind must be an expensive luxury even for King Kalakaua to maintain, and it is not to be wondered at that it has been reduced to a peace footing. It is to be hoped that the great powers of Europe will follow the example set by the dusky ruler of the Sandwich Islands and reduce their standing armies. If King Kalakaua, who is constantly having trouble with his responsible advisers, can manage to maintain his dignity with an army of sixty-five men, why should not those who hold the peace of Europe in their hands be content with keeping their armies on a peace footing? At the head of his sixty-five men King Kalakaua would be a dangerous man to trifle with, and it is to be hoped that he will not take the warpath against any of the European powers. Backed by his brass band he would carry terror in his path.

BY NATURE MURDEROUS.

Jesse Pomeroy, the boy murderer, is a psychological phenomenon. He seems to be endowed with a keen and active intellect, but is cursed with an irresistible desire to kill. He has no moral sense at all or one that is exceedingly defective. He has been treated by the State as a lunatic rather than as a criminal. The sentence of death which he incurred by the commission of a deliberate cold-blooded murder was not executed. It was commuted to solitary confinement for life. Imprisonment has not stupified the boy. His mind is active and craves for food. He is, it appears, supplied with books, which he reads with avidity. He has been studying law lately. He has come across an old statute which provides that no person shall be sentenced to solitary confinement in prison for more than twenty years. Pomeroy saw immediately that this law applied to his own case and he set to work and wrote a memorial to the Board of Prison Commissioners, setting forth that his imprisonment is illegal and praying for his release. The Commissioners referred the document to the Attorney-General, who, it seems, had much trouble in solving the knotty problem prepared for him by the prisoner student. The Attorney-General, it is said, has decided that the statute unearthed by Pomeroy does not apply to his case, as it was intended to prevent abuses through the instrumentality of courts and wardens. The law officer of the state may be right, but it is quite probable that other lawyers equally learned might come to a different decision. At any rate Pomeroy in raising the question has shown that he possesses more than ordinary powers of mind. Has the tiger spirit which exhibited itself in him as a child been exorcised by solitary confinement? Would it now be safe to let him loose upon society? These are interesting questions which can never be satisfactorily answered.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

It must be a genuine disappointment to a section of the Grit press that the Skeena Indian trouble has not developed into a serious rebellion. Something of the sort would prove a God-send.—Ottawa *Citizen*.

It is. We don't feel like being uncharitable, but we venture the opinion that "the only Grit journal on the Pacific Coast" felt just a little pang of disappointment when the news came down that the entire white community was not massacred.

The Government has asked for tenders for the construction of the Sault Ste. Marie Canal and for the enlargement of the St. Lawrence Canals. The advertisement calls for the construction of a canal on the Canadian side of the river, through the Island of St. Mary. As for the St. Lawrence enlargements, tenders are asked for the construction of two locks and the deepening and widening of the upper entrance of the Galop's Canal; for the deepening and enlargement of the summit level of the Cornwall Canal; the construction of a new lock at each of the three lock stations on the Cornwall Canal between the town of Cornwall and Maple Grove; the deepening and widening of the channel-way of the canal; the construction of bridges, etc.

The annexation of the two Christmas Islands by Sir William Wiseman, Bart., within a period of a few months has been too much for the geography of some of the London papers, which have, apparently, seen no particular difficulty in a sudden incursion of the squadron on the East Indian station into the South Pacific. Christmas Island No. 2 lies 200 miles south of Java, as is described and of no special strategical importance, "though it might be irritating to have any other flag over it than our own." On the other hand, its guano and cocos give it some commercial value; while to the physical geographer it is one of the most interesting places in the world. Cliffs of coral—steep, and in places almost inaccessible—rise from their base, upon the crater of an extinct volcano, to a height of over 1100 feet above sea level. There is no water on the island—on which man has, apparently, never lived—and its principal inhabitants are rats and land-crabs.

The *Admiralty and Horse Guards Gazette* says: "We must not omit to remark that our advocacy of the Canadian route to the East has been as an *alternative* route. We do not suggest it as a route which should supersede the Suez Canal or the Cape routes, either in peace or in war. At the same time we do assert that, though in some points inferior to the Suez Canal and the Cape, it is in some points superior. Nor must we forget that the route and the country through which it passes are but little undersood, and still in their infancy. Yet we are much mistaken if in a few years' time the claims of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the vast wealth now lying undeveloped in Canada and British Columbia, are not much more fully appreciated than at present. Let us not forget that the multiplicity of our routes to the East multiplies the difficulties of hostile powers in interrupting our communications. The present is the time to take advantage of the opportunities offered us.

PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

To the Editor:—Replying to the further appeal of Dr. Davie in your issue of the 15th instant, I can only say I was unanimously appointed by the general committee and *to that body alone* am I accountable or responsible. He will, therefore, no doubt, in a business like manner, see where his remedy can be obtained.

At this point I would like to mention the kind advice and support I have received, from the commencement of the project up to the present time, from the clergy of the Episcopal and Roman Catholic churches, but with the remainder of the other clergy little else but apathy, and now a determined attempt to upset the present arrangements by any means in their power. It is refreshing, however, Mr. Editor, to find that the ministerial association have at last plucked up sufficient moral courage, to send one of their members to the front to combat the question. This, of course, is perfectly within their rights as citizens, or any individual member thereof.

Now Mr. Davie and myself, are perfectly able to discuss this difficulty, we trust, with moderation and fairness; but when a "second Daniel comes to judgment," in the person of the Rev. P. F. Macleod, and intervenes with his dictum, on a subject with which, from his short residence in the city he can only be very imperfectly acquainted, I protest he has no business to drag my name into his communication.

I have been told, within the past forty-eight hours, by one of his most ardent admirers, that there was neither the brains or talent in this city to compete with his mighty intellect. Without at all detracting from his known abilities, I contend he has no right to use those talents for the purpose of sowing dissension and making statements and drawing conclusions which are not justified by the actual facts.

I should have thought his profession would have taught him to be meek and moderate in his views towards his fellowmen, but no! the old curse of ancient and modern society, *clerical intolerance*, crops up to its fullest extent. He may imagine he can talk to those under his jurisdiction in any manner he thinks proper without being replied to, but I tell him plainly that I want none of his interference, and repudiate his arrogant assumptions.

I now proceed to dwell on several points in his communication appertaining to myself:—

First, He charges me with having a strong bias as an executice officer; as a member of the committee, subscriber, and purely honorary position I always have given my vote, and so long as I continue to be a member of that committee I intend to exercise my right to vote, and to use freedom of speech and thought, the Rev. Mr. Macleod notwithstanding to the contrary.

Secondly, I have never questioned the right of any individual to express his views, and I challenge the reverend gentleman to prove his assertion.

Thirdly, The vote taken at the last general committee meeting was arrived at by 26, as against 66 of a whole on the committee. If (as the reverend gentleman says, and there is a great deal depends on that little word if) the whole of the committee had been present the vote would have been considerably in excess of the number arrived at in favor of the site last year, long before Mr. Macleod arrived in this city. To be strictly accurate with the facts (and I would here recommend Mr. Macleod to post himself on facts for the future), the Mayor had to leave the meeting on private business, but assured me afterwards his vote would have been recorded in favor of the site had he remained. E. C. Baker and A. J. Langley paired, so that the majority would have been one more instead of less.

Fourthly, The protest of the Ministerial Association met with every consideration from the committee, and the cause of delay was fully explained by me at the public meeting as well as in print, and a courteous reply sent thereto. Mr. Macleod's statement, therefore, that it met no favor from me is utterly groundless, and without a tittle of evidence to support such an unworthy assertion.

Fifthly, The statement that the views of the medical men were "treated just as cavalierly as the ministers," this also is not according to facts, but as the medical fraternity are quite able to take care of themselves, I shall not further enlarge on it.

Sixthly, The next statement is "a public meeting protested, but who cares for the views of the public." I would like to ask where was the reverend gentleman on that occasion? Certainly not supporting his clerical brethren, to my mind there is quite as much genuine unpaid sympathy outside the clerical circles. Indeed, I question if there is not a great deal more in the world at large.

The public were called together by our worthy Mayor and their representatives chosen, and what was the decision of the government thereon after the case had been fully presented to them, *that they saw no reason to interfere with the committees, and declined to meet them.* I contend, therefore, that this covert sneer of the reverend gentleman is utterly reckless and unjustifiable.

I have travelled, I surmise, as much as Mr. Macleod and seen a great many phases of human misery and suffering. His statement as to the location of hospitals in crowded cities is undoubtedly correct, but different cities vary in their views of such matters and such variations do not entitle him to make wild assertions and aid in thwarting the labors of a body of gentlemen who are quite as conversant with the wants of daily life as himself, and so far as supporting such institutions the public here, as elsewhere, are at all times liberal in contributions for such worthy objects when required, so Mr. Macleod's suggestion "that no enthusiasm can be evoked," is quite uncalled for and beside the question now at issue; indeed, his own body of managers thought so highly of the "Hospital Sunday" question that in a letter received by me from the secretary in the last week of June, he states they would recommend a collection to be taken up at an early date, but which so far has not been carried out by Mr. Macleod.

I could say much more, but have already trespassed on your space; but in conclusion I would remind the reverend gentleman that we are living in a free age and a free country, and he should in the future exercise a little more discretion before he makes personal attacks on those who, not perhaps so talented as himself, are still in their own humble way endeavoring to ameliorate the ills of life to which we are all liable.

In the same issue I find a letter signed "Pterodactyl." I have not hitherto replied to anonymous communications, but make an exception in this case, as I am informed the writer is a lady. I would simply recommend her to use "Fair play" in future and have the honesty to attach her correct name to any other insinuations she may feel disposed to inflict on the public, notably in this case, where she remarks respecting the chosen site, "that owing to the methods of purchase adopted by the committee such a conclusion was inevitable." Those who are *working* not *talking* in this business can testify to the contrary.

William M. Chudley.
Hon. Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., 18th Aug., 1888.

PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

To the Editor:—Since you were kind enough to insert a letter from me on the above subject I have received communications from several gentlemen of influence in Victoria expressing their sympathy with the movement, and their willingness to assist. There are now half-a-dozen ready for action. Before, however, we proceed to the first step of calling a meeting, may I ask for a few more offers of help from any who are prepared to take an active part?

We should like to begin the work at least a dozen strong.

Austin Scriven.

St. James' Parsonage, 18th Aug. 1888.

SEWERAGE.

To the Editor:—The ratepayers having sanctioned the borrowing of twenty thousand dollars for water pipes and thirty thousand dollars for sewerage, it is not necessary that the corporation should spend all, or waste any of this money. The water pipes may be necessary for temporary purposes, if judiciously laid, but we must go further and to a higher level for the quantity of water required for the flushing of sewers on the Pickering plan. One-third of the money voted for the experiment on Johnson street gorge is more than sufficient for the flume required for the conveyance of water into the harbor. By a flume the natural water course should be tapped on a high level with a gentle incline to about ten feet above high water mark at the north end of Wharf street, near the railway terminus, with "dirt hoppers" or reservoirs for the soil which otherwise would flow into the harbor. Have we a harbor trust? Who is the Harbor Master? What are his duties, and who pays him? We have a Chamber of Commerce, but they expect the Dominion to supply dredgers.

William Fisher.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated in Coast District:—Commencing at north-west corner of Lot 7, Range 1, Thurlow Island, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence south 50 chains, thence east 50 chains, thence south 80 chains to Jackson Point, thence following shore line of Nodales Channel to south-east corner of Lot 7, Range 1, thence west 10 chains, thence north 70 chains, thence east 10 chains, thence north 50 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
JAMES McWHINNEY.
July 9th, 1888. jl10-1m

NOTICE.—Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from he following described land, situated in Coast District:—Commencing at north-west corner of Lot 7, Range 1, Thurlow Island, thence north 80 chains, thence east 50 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 50 chains to point of commencement, containing 400 acres more or less.
B. SPRINGER.
July 9th, 1888. jl10-1m

NOTICE IS HEREY GIVEN THAT, SIXTY days after date, I intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all of the unoccupied portion of Tumbo Island, not exceeding in the whole 200 acres of land, situated in Cowichan District.
CHARLES GABRIEL.
Victoria, B. C., 18th June, 1888. je19

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one acre of unsurveyed and unoccupied land situated in the Cowichan District and described as follows: Beginning at station 7 of Tumbo Island survey; thence following a line S 78 W. past Cabbage Island 67.81 chains to a point marked A, on 4th squared post; thence N. 61 W. 3.39 chains; thence N 88 W. 1.01 chains; thence S. 56 E. 2.16 chains; thence S. 77 E. 1.31 chains; thence S. 69.30 E. 0.77 chains; thence N. 65.30 E. 1.36 chains to place of beginning, *i. e.* to post marked A.
CHARLES GABRIEL.
May 28th, 1888. je19

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Coast District, bounded as follows:—Commencing at a stake placed in the right bank of Naas river, about three-quarters of a mile above the Saw Mill, thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, more or less, to the river bank; thence along the river bank to the initial stake.
R. H. HALL.
Naas River, B. C., 25th May, 1888. jun14-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Savary Island, Strait of Georgia, containing 640 acres, more or less.
ALBERT VIDLER.
Victoria, June 15th, 1888. je16-2mos.

NOTICE.
All Accounts due to Eureka Stables up to the 14th instant must be paid on or before the 31st instant, to W. Dalby. Any one having accounts will present them for payment.
July 14, 1888. jl17 W. DALBY.

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED FROM this date against transacting any business whatever with O. T. Frechette on behalf or for the firm of Frechette, Bourgeault and Duclos, traders, Quesnelle Mouth, B. C., the said O. T. Frechette having left the business in an unsatisfactory state and without notifying his partners.
BOURGEAULT & DUCLOS.
Quesnelle, July 20, 1888. jl24

NOTICE.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned till noon on Saturday the 11th day of August, for the purchase of the Stock-in-Trade of Marks, Rutledge & Co., Nicola, B.C. Lists of same can be seen on the premises or at the office of Messrs. Eberts & Taylor, Victoria. Terms cash. JAMES C. PREVOST,
July 20th, 1888. Receiver.
(British Columbian and Inland Sentinel copy.)
jl21-d&w-td

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
In re the Estate of William Francis Morrison, late of New Westminster, Hotel Keeper, deceased, intestate.
All persons indebted to the above Estate must pay the amounts of their indebtedness, forthwith, to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the same must send them in, duly proven, on or before Saturday the 11th day of August proximo, at 12 o'clock, noon.
W. H. FALDING,
jl13-td Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
In re of the Estate of W. E. Blackett, late of Nanaimo, Contractor, deceased, Intestate.
ALL PERSONS indebted to the above Estate are requested to pay the amounts of their indebtedness, forthwith, to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the Estate must send them in duly proven on or before Friday the 31st day of August, proximo, at 12 o'clock, noon.
jl20-1m J. C. BLACKETT, Administ'r.

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CHINESE SEA GRUB.

COST OF FEEDING A PAGAN ON AN OCEAN STEAMER.

A Crowd of Celestials Leaving San Francisco for Far Cathay—A Quarrelsome Set of Passengers—Little Waste in Feeding—Profits.

The Oceanic Steamship company's office was crowded the other forenoon by Chinamen anxious to avail themselves of the reduced rate of passage by the Canadian Pacific steamship Abyssinia. Two hundred and forty took passage by her and sailed about 12 o'clock. Many held off to the last minute in the hope that better terms might be made, but the agents were inexorable.

"Don't you fumigate the office after the China steamer leaves?" asked a Hawaiian dude, who struggled to the counter through the jabbering crowd of Chinamen to secure a passage to Honolulu by the Australia.

"What ails you?" was the retort. "You should be familiar with the essence of Cathay, as you come from Honolulu."

"Of course I am, but nothing so rank as this."

"Good money, all the same. There are no deadheads in the Chinese passenger trade, no round trip complimentary tickets. Everything is on a basis of United States gold coin and no credit."

CHINESE SEA LAWYERS.

Happening along at lunch, the lead thus opened was followed. "See the Abyssinia lot of Chinese?" asked the dispenser of hospitality at a neighboring lunch bar. "Seem a queer lot. Give a great deal of trouble, most likely. That kind always do. There are cripples and broken down men of all kinds among them."

"Have you had experience in that trade?"

"Yes, for years. I have been employed in the Chinese trade quite a long time, but I have quit the sea. These fellows will have an armory with them. They are quarrelsome and dangerous, and there are always sea lawyers aboard to stir up trouble. They tell the ignorant coolies their rights, and if we were not prepared to fight at the drop of a hat it would be all up with us and the ship. We generally manage to keep them under."

"What is the rate of passage?" asked a reporter who happened to be present.

"Twenty-five dollars and whatever we can get for freight."

"Are you in for a freight war?"

"Can't tell. Know only what we are doing."

"Does $25 passage money pay the Canadian Pacific on a thirty day voyage, when the old lines could barely manage to get along with a $50 rate?"

"I should smile. But you just skirmish around and find out."

"What does it cost to feed Chinese passengers?"

"I brought over 1,500 of them one trip at an average cost of four and three eighths cents a day per man. Yes, it was a little pinched, but they had enough. Up to 300 a fair average of the cost is ten cents per head daily, above that the average lowers. I think the Pacific Mail figures on twelve cents, but that depends on circumstances."

"What kind of food do they get?"

"Chiefly rice. We take twenty-six different kinds of chows. We take white beans, brown beans, black beans, red beans, green beans—every kind of beans; orange peel, sauces, dried shrimps, dried fish, dried abalone, although they get little of that. But the principal diet is rice. Five pounds of fresh beef will go as far with 100 Chinamen as with five white men. They take a big mess of rice and a small piece of fresh meat, which they lift, bite off a small morsel, and return to the dish. Then they pitch into the rice with their chopsticks and sample the sauces. They are fond of salt pork and salt meat. Fresh meat goes further. They should never get salted meat or pork."

MUST EAT OR STARVE.

"Have you ever had trouble with Chinese passengers?"

"Yes. I remember once in the Peking we had a thousand of them, and they kicked about their food. I went down to find out what the trouble was, and then brought down the chief officer. The rice was not cooked to their liking.

"I will give you ten minutes to begin eating, said the chief officer; 'after that the rice will be thrown overboard.'

"We could not move. We were surrounded. 'Time's up,' said I, calling my boys to clear away. 'Over she goes.' The Chinamen looked sulky for a minute or so and then sat down and ate the rice, and that was the last of it.

"We never have any trouble coming this way until after we leave Yokohama. Up to that time the coolie is busy filling up, and by the time he reaches Yokohama he is all swollen out with rice, cutting a very ridiculous figure, with his spindle legs and overhanging stomach. After leaving Japan he is in good condition, and listens to the incendiary talk of the Chinese high binder. If we backed down or weakened in any way it would be all up with us. Chinamen are a hard crowd to handle on shipboard."

"You have only to give the Chinamen plenty to eat and you have no trouble," said an attentive listener. "I was in Hong Kong when the Abyssinia came in three trips ago, and she had trouble about the food. She then sailed from Victoria. The other vessels seldom have any bother of that kind."

"You think that ten cents per day covers the cost of the food supplied on shipboard to each Chinese passenger?"

"Yes, I do. It costs less with care when the numbers are large than when there are few on board. There is very little waste, I assure you. It is not a losing trade at $25 per head."—San Francisco Examiner.

A Change of Title.

Two are riding in a street car, when one says to the other:

"Look here, Mac, here's Hoadley coming. He's just written a book. Remember the title 'Forever Bereft,' and when I introduce you say something about it, it will please him."

Hoadley enters and is at once introduced by his friend to Mr. Mac, who says, enthusiastically:

"So glad to meet you, my dear sir. I have wanted for a long time to know the author of that charming book—er—er—'Never Got Left.'"—Detroit Free Press.

An Honest Criticism.

Her mother with commendable tact and consideration, was endeavoring to say something complimentary in regard to the particularly homely infant of a friend and neighbor. But our uncompromising small heroine wouldn't have it so. "Why, mamma, dat baby looks des like one of does little blind kittens what was left in our basement, des like a little lukewarm kitten."—Washington Hatchet.

To Excursionists.

Canadian Pacific excursion tickets will be exchanged to return over the N. P. R. R. on application at the Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 341, Government street, next door to P. O. This enables excursionists to see Puget Sound, the celebrated "Switchback" and to visit Yellowstone Park *via* the Palace Pullman and Dining Car route. *

School books, T. N. Hibben & Co.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind. my31-eod-dw

MISCELLANEOUS.

Arrowroot Culture in Barbados.

Arrowroot culture is carried on in a shiftless sort of a way and a valuable industry has thus been neglected, while the Barbadians have consistently put all their eggs into one basket. On the northern side of the island, among roaring surges and flying sea spume, I saw a little patch of something growing with tender, feeble, light green leaves, very like lettuce that is a week above ground. The cultivated land was perhaps a quarter of an acre, and in one corner of the lot stood a miserable thatch roofed shanty. This was an arrowroot plantation and mill. A lank, poverty stricken white answered to my call, and conducted me about his estate, ending up with the manufacture. Two women, whose pallid faces, bent backs and listless looks spoke of scanty rations all their lives, were busy squeezing the water out of a mass of white fiber by handfuls into a sheet stretched over a barrel. In one corner stood a large circular grater to be turned by some lazy hand—that was all.

The root looks like small, white sugar cane, divided into joints, growing some six inches long; is cut into fiber by grating, soaked in water, and then has the starch that is known as arrowroot squeezed out slowly by such discouraged looking females as those were. In appearance and taste this was quite equal to what I have seen in Bermuda, and along this north coast is vacant land that is useless for cane, enough to supply a great demand, with every facility for cultivation. And it must be profitable, for upon the receipts from that petty, poor place, at $2 75 per hundred pounds, these three people subsisted. Living it was not, that was an ambition to which their wildest hopes had not soared but they did not cease to exist and were not more utterly dejected in gait and general get up than many of their compatriots who worked in cane fields.—Dr William F Hutchinson in American Magazine.

Berlin Women Not Pretty.

I referred a short distance back to a Russian opera I had heard. It was interesting because the music and the singing were so much like the Italian school. The people are great theater goers here, and the art of acting and singing is far beyond the general average of our own stage. The accessories, such as scenery, costumes and pretty feminine faces, are lacking. It seems odd, even yet, to go to an opera or a play at 6:30, and walk out in the court yard of the theatre for a cigarette after an act or two and find it still broad daylight. Almost no one wears evening clothes in Berlin. The women are obliged by a cast iron law to take off their hats, and it's a wonderful comfort so to the men. Berlin women are not pretty by any means.

In Vienna a plain woman is a rarity—here a pretty one is much more rare. Never does it, I fancy. A woman of 25 with anything approaching a figure is seldom to be encountered on the Berlin streets. It is beer always and ever. The gowns are ill fitting, the shoulders round and the faces heavy and pudgy. It is not the healthy, rosy plumpness that often goes with maturity in England and America, but the colorless and fluffy accumulation of fat that has none of the elements of beauty in it. They neither sit nor stand erect. Of course this is a mere generalization, and I shall be vastly enraged if the German readers of this letter will not rise at once and pepper the target with missives proving at length and with unquestionable force of logic that I am an ass and in no way qualified to judge.—Blakely Hall in The Argonaut.

Cheerful Mortuary Practices.

In one corner was an inclosure, which contained bushels upon bushels of human bones piled in heaps bleaching and blistering in the sun. A grave was being dug and we watched the process. The Indians used a crowbar and machete, scooping out the loose earth with their hands. Proceeding lower down they filled their camp fiber aprons with the dirt and scrambled to the top with it. Now and then the crowbar would enter something with a cracking and tearing sound—pass on through a skull. Then the Indians would take it out in their hands, examine and comment upon it, and generally identify it as having belonged to some friend or neighbor. If the bones belonging with it were easily obtainable they lifted them up respectfully and laid them on the pile in the charnel house.

It seemed as if every skull in the yard had once sat upon the shoulders of an acquaintance, so many did they identify as part of the late Don Juan or Don Jose, a lesson to somebody. One cadaver was brought up—that of a woman—on the bones of which flesh still adhered, dried like a mummy. Why in heaven's name, when there is so much unoccupied space all over the country, they continue piling dead people on top of each other, from generation to generation none can tell, but such seems to be the universal custom all over Mexico and Central America.—Cor Philadelphia Record.

A Timepiece with a History.

Across the corridor from the roomy offices of Secretary Whitney is the compass testing room of the navy department. I strolled in there today and saw two very interesting curios. One was a quaint, high backed chair which had been used for years by Gideon Welles, who was the secretary of the navy in Lincoln's cabinet. "Sit in it," said Lieut. Denfeld, "and I will show you the star attraction of the room." He unlocked a glass case and carefully uncovered an ordinary looking ship's chronometer.

But its history was not at all ordinary. It has lain for four years in an Arctic cairn without receiving the slightest damage. It had been catched in the arctic wilds in 1872 by members of the ill fated Polaris expedition, and in 1876 it was found there by her majesty's ship Discovery. It was taken to London in due course, and later returned to the government of the United States. The report accompanying it states that the London testers discovered that the chronometer lost but one tenth of a second per day, which was the loss statement in the rate paper of the American manufacturers. The officers of the British ship state that while they were there the mercury of the thermometer was frozen for forty seven days, although one day the mercury marked 104 degs below freezing. This is considered to be the severest test ever borne by a time marking instrument.—Washington Letter.

I am myself so deaf that common conversation is inaudible to me when in a room where there is no other noise, but when there is singing or instruments playing I can hear as well as any one, and when on board of railroad cars in motion I have frequently heard conversation from the seat behind me that those on the seat with me could not hear. I have known a number of people similarly affected. I am 70 years of age, and have been deaf for more than fifty years.—Charles Stone in Scientific American.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channels is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

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No. 1—2 hardy Roses. No. 2—2 hardy climbing Roses. No. 3—2 ever-blooming Roses for house culture. No. 4—8 very choice Hyacinths. No. 5—15 very choice Tulips. No. 6—25 hardy assorted flowering Bulbs. No. 7—5 choice Plants for house culture. No. 8—2 choice hardy flowering Shrubs. No. 9—3 hardy Grape Vines. No. 10—5 Cherry Currants (red). No. 11—5 Lee's Prolific Currants (black). No. 12—5 White Grape Currants. No. 13—10 Raspberries, 2 very choice kinds. No. 14—20 Strawberries, 4 very choice kinds. Nos. 3, 7 and 14 we will send earlier, if requested.

All letters with this advertisement enclosed along with stamps for any one or more collections of plants, will be numbered as they come to hand, and the senders of the first thirteen hundred letters will receive gifts as follows:

1st	$250	The next 20	$10 each
2nd	100	The next 40	5 each
3rd	50	The next 415	2 each
4th	30	The next 820	1 each
5th	20		

After 50 thousand letters have been received, the senders of the next eleven hundred letters will receive gifts as follows:

1st	$225	The next 10	$15 each
2nd	125	The next 15	10 each
3rd	75	The next 40	5 each
4th	50	The next 470	2 each
5th	25	The next 560	1 each

After 100 thousand letters have been received, the senders of the next one thousand letters will receive gifts as follows:

1 and 2	$100 each	The next 5	$20 each
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The British Barque,

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For the Hudson's Bay Company,
THOMAS R. SMITH,
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TIME TABLE.

STEAMER AMELIA

(Taking Effect, Tuesday, 31st July.)

Sailing from Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf.

FOR COMOX AND NANAIMO—calling at all Way Ports—Every Tuesday at 7 o'clock, a.m.

FROM COMOX—calling at Denman Island Nanaimo, Gabriola Island, Chemainus, Vesuvius Bay, Burgoyne Bay, Saanich—Wednesdays at 2 o'clock, p. m.

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FOR NANAIMO—calling at Saanich, Burgoyne Bay, Vesuvius Bay, Chemainus and Gabriola Island—Fridays at 7 o'clock, p. m. jl15-1m

TIME TABLE.

STEAMER RAINBOW,

—TAKING EFFECT—

Monday, July 16th, 1888.

Sailing from Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER—Calling at Plumper's Pass and all way ports. Mondays at 12 o'clock, noon, and Fridays at 7 o'clock, a. m.

FOR VANCOUVER—Wednesday morn at o'clock.

FOR NANAIMO, FROM VANCOUVER—Wednesday at 3 o'clock, p. m., returning to Vancouver Thursday morning at 5 o'clock.

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TACOMA—VICTORIA ROUTE.

Lv Tacoma	8:45 a.m.	Lv Victoria	4:30 a.m
Ar Seattle	11:00 a.m.	Ar Pt. Towns'd	7:45 a.m
Lv Seattle	11:15 a.m.	Lv Pt. Towns'd	8:30 a.m
Ar Pt. Towns'd	2:30 p.m.	Ar Seattle	12:00 M.
Lv Pt. Towns'd	2:45 p.m.	Lv Seattle	3:30 p.m
Ar Victoria	5:30 p.m.	Ar Tacoma,	5:30 p.m

TACOMA—SEATTLE ROUTE.

Leave Tacoma	8:45 a.m.,	10 a.m.,	6:45 p.m.
Arrive Seattle	11 a.m.,	12 M. and	9 p.m.
Leave Seattle	3 a.m.,	12:30 and	3:30 p.m
Arrive Tacoma	5:30 a.m.,	2:30 and	5.30 p.m.

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Lv Olympia	6 a.m.	Lv Seattle	12:30 p.m.
Lv Steilacoom	8 a.m.	Ar Tacoma	2:30 p.m.
Ar Tacoma	9:30 a.m.	Lv Tacoma	3:00 p.m.
Lv Tacoma	10 a.m.	Lv Steilacoom	4:30 p.m.
Ar Seattle	12 M.	Ar Olympia	6:30 p.m.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a reward of $1,000 will be given by the Provincial Government for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the persons concerned in the robbery of the British Columbia Express Company's Stage, on the Cariboo Road, on Saturday the 30th day of June last.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary
Provincial Secretary's Office, 11th July, 1888. jl13-1mo

NOTICE.

THE APPOINTMENT of DUNCAN McRAE, Esquire, of Chilliwhack, as Timber Inspector for the Province has been cancelled and the said DUNCAN McRAE has been appointed Second Forestry Inspector, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of "An Act to amend the 'Land Act, 1884.'"

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office, 11th July, 1888. jl13-lt

NOTICE.

A COURT OF ASSIZE, NISI PRIUS, OYER and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery will be held at Donald, on Monday, the 23rd proximo.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office, 12th June, 1888. jun15-1m-dw

NOTICE.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Kootenay will be held at the following places, viz:

At Farwell, on Friday, the 20th proximo.
At Donald, on Friday, the 27th proximo.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office, 27th June, 1888. je29

NOTICE.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation in the Supreme Court from the 20th day of August to the 29th day of September, 1888, both days inclusive, during which vacation no pleading shall be delivered or cause tried.

2. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the delivery of pleadings, or trial of causes triable, or proposed to be tried, elsewhere than at Victoria, New Westminster or Nanaimo.

3. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with trials in vacation when such trials have been ordered before the commencement of such vacation, nor with any trial the hearing whereof has been begun before the commencement of such vacation, nor with the delivery of any judgment where such matter has been argued before the commencement of the vacation, nor with the taxation of costs and the signing of judgments.

4. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with applications for judgment under Rule 75 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1880.

5. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These rules may be cited as the "Long Vacation Rules, 1888."

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office, 1st August, 1888. aug3-1wk

DOMINION GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS are requested to present their PASS BOOKS at the Office on Government Street, for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1888.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Assistant Receiver-General.
Victoria, Aug. 2, 1888. aug3-1m

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TENDERS.

Notice to Contractors.

CONCRETE WALKS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to Noon of

Tuesday, 21st instant,

for laying Concrete Side Walks round the New Law Courts, Victoria.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 10th Aug., 1888. 11-d&w.

Notice to Contractors.

FITTINGS

—FOR—

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SEALED TENDERS, suitably endorsed, will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to Noon of

Tuesday, 21st instant,

for certain Fittings and Furniture required for the New Law Courts, Victoria.

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W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 10th Aug, 1888. 11-d&w.

Naval Contracts.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEhalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Saturday the 11th of August next, for supplying such quantities of Sugar, Tea and Flour as may be required for Navy purposes; likewise Stout, Milk, Butter, Eggs and Fowls, for the Naval Hospital; also for Washing, and Sweeping Chimneys at the Yard and Hospital for One Year certain from the 1st October next.

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Forms of Tender can be obtained at this Office.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.
Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 21st July, 1888 jl22

Notice to Contractors,

BUILDERS, &c.

WORKS AND REPAIRS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEhalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Thursday, the 30th instant, for Works and Repairs to be executed at the Naval Yard, Naval Hospital and Powder Magazines.

Specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. John Teague, Architect, Victoria, to whom parties tendering will apply before going over the works.

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Tenders to be endorsed "Tenders for Works and Repairs."

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Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 9th August, 1888. aug10-td

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TIME TABLE No. 7,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Wednesday, April 25th, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
De 8.20 A.M	De 3.32 P.M	VICTORIA	Ar 1.04 P.M	Ar 7.00
8.24	3.36	RUSSELLS	1.00	6.56
8.34	3.46	GOLDSTREAM	12.51	6.47
9.01	4.11	SHAWNIGAN L'E	12.23 P.M	6.21
9.36	5.06	COBBLE HILL	11.28	5.26
10.08	5.16	McPHERSON'S	11.16	5.16
10.25	5.31	DUNCANS	10.59	5.01
10.42	5.46	SOMENOS	10.47	4.49
10.52	5.56	CHEMAINUS	10.42	4.46
11.18	6.18	NANAIMO	10.32	4.36
Ar 12.20 P.M	7.16	WELLINGTON	10.06	4.14
De 12.29		NANAIMO	De 9.01	3.16
Ar 12.44	Ar 7.31		Ar 8.40	De 3.01 P.M

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Time Table No. 9, Takes Effect Nov'r 1st, 1887

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NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.

LEAVE VICTORIA—

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER'S LANDING AND LULU ISLAND, Tuesday at 9 o'clock;

The Colonist.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 1888.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ALASKAN, from Puget Sound—W Mawford, G G Rowe, Wm Dakin, L Dennis and wife, Mrs Oliver, W E Gauden, J G Brigham, H Atkinson, C Bateman, J F Brown, Mrs Roberts, A Prentice, W Mandone, A Moltoe, Miss Johnson, J T Porfie and wife, C E Burbridge, Miss Raslander, Alf McLaughlin, V Clay, C Foster, H Stetson, The Misses Dennis, Mrs Smith, H Renouf, O Bartram, C M Barlow, R Jolly, A M Brown, A E Lee, T Armstrong, J O Thomas, Mrs Burnett, J Gervnop and wife, J J Hocksteller and wife, C McCullough, T M Pensell, R Rowland and wife, E W Tallomb, A R Newton, T W Ellerbeck wife and daughter, W F McCullough, S D Brastow, J H Loomis and wife, C Todd, W Blaas, J Landers and wife, T Larcus, D McEdwards.

CONSIGNEES.

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BIRTH.

FLETT.—At Somenos, on the 17th instant, the wife of Mr. James Flett, jr., of a son.

DEATH.

GREGG.—Died, August 18th, at 7 p. m., Percy Maitland, infant son of Frank and Alice Gregg, aged 4 months and 14 days.

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FOR HIM WHO WAITS.

Patience, O mortal, patience yet awhile!
What though the petty pessimist he prates
Of dolor and death, joy yet shall come
To him who waits.

Tho' wrecks do strew the main, ships yet shall sail
Safe over seas, weighed down with golden freights,
That shall make glad again the sad, hurt heart
Of him who waits.

Tho' fierce the fight that want and sorrow wage
With man upon life's battlefield, yet fate's
Grim visage softens, and she smiles at last
On him who waits.

Patience, O mortal, patience yet awhile!
How long soe'er thy evils here, the gates
Of glory do but wait to open wide
For him who waits.

Killed at the Treadwell Mine.

Edward Mallon was killed recently at the Treadwell mines Alaska. He fell down about thirty feet in the new mills, receiving injuries from which he died.

Struck Work.

All the workmen employed by the Nanaimo corporation have struck work in consequence of some aspersions made against them by the aldermen at their last meeting. Owing to the strike the corporation work is at a standstill, and will remain so until the next meeting of the board.

Texada Island Iron Mines.

Work at the iron mines on Texada Island is progressing favorably. A number of prospectors are at work on the mineral ledges on the Nanaimo side of the island. Their prospects are said to be excellent, and the specimens they exhibit are reported rich.

Inspection of the Union Mine.

Mr. A. Dick, provincial inspector of mines, returned to Nanaimo on Friday from his first official inspection of the Union Mines, Comox. He reports that the work is progressing favorably, and that a seam of excellent coal was struck in a bore, 38 feet below the present workings.

Louise is Not Satisfied.

Mrs. T. Wilmot Eckert, known as Miss Louise Leighton, a favorite performer at the Tivoli, San Francisco, has sued her husband, the well known tenor, for a divorce, on the ground of desertion and failure to provide. They were married in Baltimore in 1880, and acted together for five years in the Tivoli at a joint salary of $75 a week. She alleges that during all that time he drew the salary and never gave her a cent.

Seals in Olympia Harbor.

Numerous seals have been seen in Olympia harbor within the past few weeks. It is thought that they are of a class who se skins are of a very good quality. The matter has been brought to the attention of fishermen, and it is probable that an attempt will be made to capture some of the seals with a view to testing the character of their skins, which, if good, will lead to the fitting out of a fleet for their wholesale capture.

Lumbering on the Columbia.

A number of Michigan lumbermen are having timber limits north of the twenty mile belt on the Columbia river as far as Canoe river surveyed. Large quantities of supplies and men have gone in by pack train for this purpose. It is their intention to locate an extensive saw-mill at Revelstoke for the purpose of cutting lumber and shipping it to the eastern markets. It is understood that the company have all the capital necessary to carry on a large business.

Manitoba Crops.

A gentleman who arrived from Brandon the other day says that the wheat crop, which promised to be so generous, is likely to be considerably diminished by early frosts. Already a large area has been affected by the frost while in an unripe condition. The summer has been unusually cold, and the grain very late in coming to maturity. It is feared that the experience of two years ago may be rerepeated, and the farmers, who were rejoicing in the prospect of a bountiful harvest, are depressed at the present outlook.

The Road to Harrison Lake.

A considerable sum of money is being spent by the government this year on the road leading from Aggaziz station to Harrison lake, a distance of five miles. With the exception of a small belt of heavy timber, the land along its route is of the finest kind for agricultural purposes, and has all been taken up, and altogether by Scotch settlers. On the east side, adjoining the railway, is the experimental farm grounds recently purchased from the Aggaziz estate, three hundred acres in extent. On the west side is a portion of the Aggaziz property. It is expected that all the land in this valley in a few years will be in a high state of cultivation. The work on the road is being done almost altogether by the settlers, and the expenditure of the money among them is therefore appreciated. An excellent roadbed is being made, and when gravelled will be equal to the best district roads in the province.

McLean and Stewart.

In our regular advertisement column, it will be seen that Mr. A. McLean has disposed of the business of the Scotch House to his son, W. A. McLean, and James Stewart. In retiring Mr. McLean extends his thanks to the public for their kind patronage so liberally extended to him during his twenty-five years' experience in business and trusts that they will extend the same to his successors.

As regards the new firm, Mr. A. McLean could not have disposed of his business to more deserving and trustworthy men. Both were brought up here, Mr. W. A. McLean being a native of the city, and Mr. Stewart's residence having covered such a length of time that he is in every sense of the word a Victorian. In his retirement from business life, Victoria loses in Mr. McLean one of its most active merchants, who, it is hoped, will long live to enjoy the rest which he so justly deserves.

Death of Mrs. John C. Calhoun.

Capt. Howard yesterday received a letter from San Francisco, announcing the death of the relict of the late John C. Calhoun, on the 8th instant, in the 64th year of her age. The early pioneers of this province still remaining, will remember the deceased lady as being among the first women to arrive in the colony, she having reached here from Ayrshire, Scotland, with her husband, in the year 1858. Before arriving at Panapa the mail steamer on which they had taken passage was wrecked on a coral reef, but all hands were saved. The deceased visited the Cariboo mines with her husband in its earliest days, and the latter as civil engineer located and superintended the construction of portions of the famous highway to Barkerville. On their return to Victoria some years later, the late Mr. Calhoun had charge during the *regime* of the late Sir James Douglas of the first dredging work in Victoria harbor. There were four children born to them in this country, two of which are now living, a son and daughter, and it was at the residence of the latter, Mrs. Frank Ryan, that the deceased fell quietly asleep. In 1870 the family moved to San Francisco, where the late Mr. Calhoun died in 1876. Since then the deceased lady has been residing with her married daughter, and in her last moments she was surrounded by her children and friends. The deceased was a most estimable lady, and her many friends in this city will learn of her death with regret, and will deeply sympathize with her sorrowing children. Her life was one of good works, and she has now passed to her eternal rest.

Salmon for the East.

The majority of the canned salmon shipped to eastern markets this year has been secured by the Northern Pacific. On Friday night eleven cars were loaded on the Olympian, and last night another consignment was loaded on the Alaskan.

From The West Coast.

Gutman & Frank's schooner Lily arrived from Clayoquot Sound stations yesterday morning with 500 sealskins consigned to M. Moss, and 7,000 gallons of dog-fish oil for Gutman & Frank, together with some sea-otter and other skins.

Cricket.

A cricket match was played at Beacon Hill yesterday between the Ivy Leafs and the James Bay Juniors. The James Bays scored 38 runs in their first innings and 50 in the second, making a total of 88 runs. The Ivy Leafs made 70 in their first innings and 20 in the second, a total of 90, thus winning the game by two runs.

All Talk.

If "Lexicon," "Wharf Street," and "Nanaimo," (all one person), feel that Mr. Dunsmuir is guilty of an infraction of the law in the steamer Wellington matter, why do they not proceed to action. By doing so, they would show that they believe what they say. But it's all bluster, and as it suits the *Times'* columns it is published with the greatest degree of relish.

The Y. M. C. A. Conference.

At Friday's session of the world's conference of the Young Men's Christian Association in Stockholm, a telegram was read from King Oscar, who is in Berlin. He regretted his absence from Stockholm, and asked that the benediction of the Holy Spirit be upon the convention. The delegates have been invited to lunch at the royal palace at Drothingham Monday.

Rosner's Specialty Company.

Edm. Rosner's Royal Hungarian Military Band and Specialty Company will begin a three-nights' engagement at The Victoria to-morrow night. The company has played for fifty-two consecutive weeks in San Francisco, and the band numbers fifteen artists. The performance will include trapeze and high wire walking, and an exhibition by Signor Carlo, who will paint a picture in oil, 30x50 inches, in full view of the audience. Reserved seats for sale at Waitt's.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The fine family residence, No. 15 North Park street, is offered for sale. *

There will be a social at the Gorge Road church Tuesday evening. Admission, 25 cents.

The wires went down east of Montreal last night, and curtailed our telegraphic dispatches to a very large extent.

Judge Richards will probably attend court at 10 o'clock hereafter instead of at 11 o'clock. A good move indeed for all parties concerned!

Alfred Mace, a painter, fell from a scaffold at Nanaimo a few days ago, and struck upon a pile of lumber, receiving a painful wound in the side.

24 all wool suits at Gilmore's $6.80 and $7. 50 odd coats worth from $5 to $10 selling from $3 to $6. Call and see them. *

A 250 yard race between H. Maynard and H. McDowell took place at Beacon Hill last evening, and was won by the latter, who defeated his opponent about by eight yards.

Mr. G. H. Blakeway and Miss Phebe Scott, were married at Nanaimo on Tuesday last the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. B. Good. The happy couple are spending their honeymoon on the Sound.

The steamer Yosemite will return today from Vancouver with Sells' circus, which will be transferred to the Alaskan, the latter vessel leaving at once for Tacoma, where the circus will exhibit to-morrow evening.

J. P. Howe, of the Newmarket theatre of Portland, has made arrangements for the appearance in Victoria, on the 27th and 28th inst., of the "Humming Bird" Troubadours, one of the best comedy companies on the road this season.

The boiler of the steamer North Pacific has been successfully raised from the bottom of the harbor and placed in position on the vessel. To accomplish this the whole side of the upper frame work had to be torn away, including even the pilot-house.

Dr. William Redmond who returned from Calgary on Friday night, states that the weather there was very wet, and has been so nearly all the summer. A heavy thunderstorm occurred on Sunday last in the valley of the Elbow river, during which hailstones fell two and a half inches in diameter.

PERSONAL.

John Boyd left for San Francisco on the Umatilla yesterday afternoon.

W. A. McCulloch, formerly of this city but now of Spokane Falls, W. T., arrived on the Alaskan last evening, and is at the Clarence.

John Flewin, wife and children, left for Metlakahtla on the Boscowitz yesterday. Mr. Flewin has been appointed permanent constable there.

A Correct Statement

is made by Miss Jane Rutherford, of Nelles Corners, Ont., who writes—"I have used your Burdock Blood Bitters for Dyspepsia and find it to be the best remedy I ever tried." B. B. B. is sold by all dealers at one dollar per bottle. tu-th-sat-dw

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Nature's own remedy for bowel complaints, cholera morbus, colic, cramps, vomiting, sea-sickness, cholera infantum, diarrhœa, dysentery, and all diseases of a like nature belonging to the summer season, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which can be obtained from all dealers in medicine. Price, 35 cents. tu-th-sat-dw

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BASEBALL MATCH.

The First Game in the Series Won by James' Bay.

The first of a series of games for a trophy offered by the Amity baseball club of this city, was played on Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon, and after a close struggle was won by the James' Bay club. For the first two innings things looked pretty blue for the Bay club, having failed to score, while the Maple Leafs had scored three runs. In the next innings, however, the Bay boys scored five runs, which seemed to rattle their opponents. The Battery of both teams was good, and with a little experience will make some of the old timers look to their laurels. The Maple Leafs were rather unfortunate in making several costly errors in the third innings which no doubt lost them the game. Jackson and Hannan sustained their reputation, while Meldrum and Haggart proved themselves worthy of better support. The following is the score:—

JAMES' BAY.

	TB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Deasy, s.s.	5	1	0	0	2	1
Gouge, 2 b.	5	3	3	4	0	2
Widdowson, 3 b.	5	2	1	1	0	1
Jackson, p.	5	4	2	1	13	0
Sullivan, r. f.	5	1	0	0	0	0
Hannan, c.	4	0	1	13	5	1
Stannard, c. f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Mallandaine, l. f.	4	1	0	1	0	0
Naylor, 1 b.	4	1	0	7	0	2
Total	41	13	7	27	20	7

MAPLE LEAF.

	TB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Clyde r. f.	5	1	2	0	0	1
Robinson, l. f.	5	2	1	0	0	1
Meldrum, p.	5	0	0	0	9	1
Haggart, c.	5	2	3	12	3	1
Beckingham, s. s.	5	1	0	1	1	3
Rudge, 2 b.	5	2	0	2	3	2
Pierre, c. f.	5	1	2	0	0	0
Evans, 3 b.	4	1	0	1	0	3
Cox, 1 b.	4	1	1	8	0	0
Total	43	11	9	24	16	12

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
James' Bay	0	0	5	0	3	3	0	2	—	13
Maple Leafs	2	1	3	0	1	3	1	0	0	11

Maple Leaf—Base on balls, 3; passed balls, 3; struck out by Meldrum, 8.

James' Bay—2 base hits, Jackson; 3 base hits, Gouge and Hannan; base on balls, 2; passed balls, 3; struck out by Jackson, 12.

Thomas Burnes, Umpire.

LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Following is the result of the matches played off at the tennis grounds yesterday afternoon:

GENTLEMEN'S OPEN SINGLES.

Fourth Round—J. T. Williams beat H. F. Clinton.

Final Round—J. T. Williams beat J. Musgrave.

GENTLEMEN'S SINGLE HANDICAP.

Fourth Round— C. C. Worsfold beat B. H. T. Drake.

Final Round—H. W. H. Combe beat C. C. Worsfold.

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES.

A. W. Jones and L. Dumbleton beat W. A. Ward and W. B. Ransom; H. W. H. Combe and Rev. A. Beanlands beat H. E. Croasdaile and W. R. Wilson.

A most interesting game will be played to-morrow, commencing at 3 p. m. sharp. It will be for the championship of British Columbia and the Challenge Cup, and will be played on the club grounds on Belcher street, when Mr. Williams, of Vancouver, the winner of the Open Singles in the present tournament, and Mr. Handcock, who for the past two years has held the championship and cup, will try conclusions. Those desirous of seeing perhaps the best lawn tennis ever seen in this province should not lose this opportunity.

WHICH THEY DIDN'T REMARK.

How an Innocent Celestial Cleaned out a Party of Legal Lights at a Game of Poker.

An amusing incident occurred to a party of three legal gentlemen who were at Harrison Hot Springs hotel, which has recently come to light. One was a judge from the east, the other a magistrate from the terminal city and the third a barrister. They secured the services of a Chinaman to look after the cooking and camp, and proceeded down to Siwash creek on Harrison river, where they purposed fishing on the following day. The point for camping was safely reached, the tent pitched, supper prepared and eaten, and a try of the stream made. After this the three legal men sat down in the light of a camp-fire for a friendly game of poker, the ante being diminutive and the limit small. After playing for a while, they thought they would have some fun and asked their Chinaman if he would not take a hand. Lonie at first said he didn't "savvy poker" but after considerable pressure he came in. For a new beginner he played well, and never ventured unless he had a sure thing, and thinking it was "fools luck," the game went merrily on until Louie had acquired fifty dollars of the party's funds, when it gradually dawned upon their minds that they had caught a Tartar in the innocent Celestial. However, the game continued, and only finished when Louie had acquired possession of all the spare cash in the crowd, amounting to some $136.

They went to sleep that night with depressed spirits, which were only revived next day when they secured a fine catch of speckled beauties. Though they told on their return of the big fish that they had lost, they forgot to tell if the funds that had been transferred to Louie, and how badly they themselves had been caught. The story leaked out shortly afterwards through Louie confiding his success to a fellow Celestial, and it is said that, though he formerly returned from such expeditions in a sulky frame of mind, on the above occasion he was as light hearted as though he thoroughly enjoyed it—which no doubt he did.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Judge Richards.]

J. F. Dohlin, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined $5, and $1 cost of arrest.

Rosey Howard, a half-breed, charged with keeping a disorderly house on Johnson street, was remanded until Monday, bail being fixed at $100.

The case against Prof. W. R. Menzies was then called.

Mr. T. Foll and Mr. Eberts (Eberts & Taylor, for the prosecution; Mr. Walls for the defence.

Before proceeding with the case, the magistrate said he would like to see Mrs. Crawford present.

Mr. Walls regretted her absence, as she was an important witness for the defence. He thought she must have been induced to disappear just when she was wanted.

Ah Chee gave evidence similar to that already published, stating on what terms he had lived with Ah Lun.

Rev. Mr. Fraser deposed to Ah Chee and Ah Lin coming to his house to be married, and that he had refused to perform the ceremony,

Ah Lin was the next witness. Her evidence was heard with closed doors.

This finished the case for the prosecution, and the accused was committed for trial, bail being fixed at $250.

In considering the question of bail, his honor informed counsel for the prosecution that their case against Menzies was so weak that he deemed it his duty to reduce the bail one-half—instead of two sureties in $250 each, he would now only desire two in $125 each.

SURPRISED INDIANS.

A Prestidigitator and Ventriloquist Gets His Work in on One of the Natives—Picking Gold From a Dog's Ear and Mouth.

As the excurtion steamer Elder touched the wharf, on her last trip up, a tall, slender man, dressed in checked pants, a long black coat and a high glossy stove-pipe hat, stepped ashore. As is always the case on the arrival of the steamer, groups of Indians range themselves along the edge os the wharf with trinkets and curios, of their own manufacture, for sale to the Eastern tourists. The tall stranger approached one of these groups and began bartering with them for their wares. Taking a pair of beaded moccasins out of an aged squaw's hands he dangled it by the lace strings a moment, when much to the surprise of the unsophisticated Indians something inside began to jingle; the next moment, much to their astonishment, he poured from one of them into his hand, a handful of gold coin which he thrust into his pocket.

Noticing a big, fat, greasy buck standing with his mouth all agape with curiosity, the stranger extended his hand with a "how-di-do." The buck clasped the extended hand, but no sooner had he done so than so than his eyes began to start from their sockets, his features twitched, and he jumped and contorted like an acrobat. The stranger let him go, and the buck, with a howl, started on the run, not stopping until he entered a shanty in Siwash town. The balance of the Indians didn't know whether to laugh or look serious over the queer actions of their companion.

The stranger had stooped down and was stroking and making friends with a mongrel six-months old pup, and began picking pieces of gold from the dog's ears and mouth. Soon there began to issue from the animal strange sounds; it barked, howled, groaned and whined all at once. Suddenly the pup sprang up, flames and smoke began to issue from its mouth. With an unearthly yelp it jumped from the wharf into the bay and began lapping the water furiously.

All this was too much for the superstitious red skins, and they fairly knocked each other down in their frantic endeavors to get away from the big medicine man.

The *strangere* was a prestidigitator and ventriloquist.—Alaska *Free Pesss.*

JUBILEE HOSPITAL SITE.

TO THE EDITOR:—I wonder if the two following ideas ever occurred to the supporters of the Cadboro Road site for the Jubilee Hospital, viz., the great expense of a thorough and separate system of drainage for a building so far from town; also cost of conveying the water to and over such a distance from town. I am informed that these two items would incur the expenditure of a sum of money little under ten thousand dollars ($10,000). Surely a charitable institution to be *of* the city should be *in* the city, so that the interests of both would be identical. If a building is perched in some suburb of a town to a great extent its interests must become local. Surely Mr. Chudley cannot have the audacity alone to endeavor to carry out his idea in opposition to the common sense opinions of both medical and clerical professions. Who can be the powers he represents? He must have some tremendous hidden force at his back. Since writing the above the thought occurs to me, in event of a fire, what may be the fate of inmates and building before the fire department could render assistance. Why not put the subject of site to a general vote of subscribers and let the majority decide? VERAX.

18th August, 1888.

ANONYMOUS CORRESPONDENCE.

TO THE EDITOR:—With all due deference, I beg to take exception to your recommendation—taking it in the general sense—that writers in a public journal on all questions which concern the public welfare should write over their own signatures. I have ever thought it an established principle in journalism that the right of maintaining their impersonality belongs (with obvious exceptions) to all contributors who confine themselves to fair discussion, and is only to be refused to those who take occasion, from the issues involved, to indulge in unjust personalities. I trust that, apart from all reference to Hospital matters, you will grant me space for a few remarks on the question thus incidentally raised. In the first place it seems to me that the public journal, in its deliberative character, is less a mercantile speculation than a co-operative enterprise, embracing, as virtual constituents, the humblest subscribers,—the true ends of the enterprise being to secure and promote upright statesmanship, righteous administration, just adjudications, public morals, and the highest amount of common well-being; ends which, I take it, are better served, as a rule, upon the impersonal method than upon any other. To pursue the matter to its full logical sequence, I think it would be embarrassing to themselves, and, in many cases, distasteful to their readers, if the members of the editorial staff of a journal were required to write over their own signatures. Yet their writings are not supposed to be on that account less influential. On the other hand, permit me to observe, that as it seems to me, the one example which you adduce in support of your recommendation is just that which constitutes an obvious exception to the advantages of impersonality, viz., the case of a contributor who writes with *authority*, in other words, that of an expert in the question at issue. In such case the addition of the name of the contributor, especially when a high professional reputation is at the back of it, gives the communication a weight which, with some minds, stands for all argument, and with most makes the argument irresistible. It is not so in the general case. Contributors as a rule are not specialists or experts. Neither are they responsible to constituents as official persons. In some cases they are not credited with the insight which they really possess; in others the mere mention of their names creates a prejudice; in all cases, almost, repulsion rather than persuasion is the effect on the minds of many readers. Why should a lady—whose sex, it is admitted, does not disqualify her from possessing or offering wise counsel—be required to give her name, and thus expose herself, probably, to the lively criticisms of the less thoughtful of her sisters?

Why should a minister of religion, seeing that his calling does not divest him of his rights as a citizen, prejudice his counsels by giving his name, certain as he is thereby to provoke the acrimonious shafts of would-be Ruskins, the disparaging insinuations of sectarian rivals, or the rough and jealous exclusiveness of purely worldly partisans? Your own columns during the discussion referred to are not without exemplifications of the truth of what I say.

I should not have ventured on this subject but for my profound conviction that to deny the shelter of impersonality to contributors would be to stifle and not to promote full public thought and decision on many matters of vital importance.

As I do not suppose that my name would add any light to the above remarks, I hope you will permit me to subscribe myself. CLIO.

9th Aug., 1888.

[The above was overlooked; otherwise it would have been published shortly after its receipt.]

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

QUEBEC.

Jacob, the Indian murderer, admits his guilt, saying that he was drunk and his evil passion made him kill his wife. He is thoroughly penitent, and passes his time in prayer. At intervals he bursts into tears and prays that God may have mercy upon him.

Ernest Gondreau, the foreman of Fortier's cigar factory, Montreal, committed suicide by jumping from the steamer Berthier on her way from Sorel. He has been drinking heavily for some time and lived on bad terms with his wife.

ONTARIO.

Thomas A. Struthers, of Fort Erie, was run over by a carriage in Buffalo and sustained injuries from which he died shortly afterwards.

Watson & Co., wholesale grocers, Halifax, have suspended payment. Their liabilities are $150,000. A compromise will likely be effected.

SCOTCH HOUSE

VICTORIA, August 18th, 1888.

I have this day disposed of the stock and good-will of my business to my son W. A. McLEAN and JAMES STEWART, and take this opportunity of thanking the public for their kind patronage so liberally extended to me during my 25 years' experience in business, and trust you will extend the same to my successors. Yours, respectfully, A. McLEAN.

McLEAN & STEWART,

Successors to A. McLEAN & CO.,

Beg to inform their friends and the public that they have purchased the stock and good-will of the business carried on by A. McLEAN & Co. for the last 25 years, and hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of the patronage so liberally extended to their predecessors.

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$10.00, reduced to $8.00.
Men's stiff Fine Felt Hats—
$4.00, $3.50, $3.00, $2.50, $2.00—all reduced to $1.00 each.
Men's Felt Hats—
$2.00, $1.75, $1.50, $1.25, $1.00—all marked down to 50 cents each.
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aug16 VICTOR JENSEN.

NOTICE.

THE partnership which has heretofore existed between W. B. Bolton and Daniel D. McIntosh, as boat builders, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The affairs of the late partnership will be wound up by Mr. Geo. A. Perrin, who alone is authorized to collect all debts due the said partnership.
Victoria, B. C., FRED. G. WALKER,
June 30, 1888. Solicitor.

The business of the late partnership will henceforth be carried on by Daniel D. McIntosh. jl1

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R. ATWOOD,
J. TEAGUE, JR.

The business will in future be conducted by J. TEAGUE, Jr., who will collect all accounts, and pay all indebtedness of the late firm. While thanking the public for the liberal patronage extended to Atwood & Co., I beg to solicit a continuance of the same. The services of Mr. Kellogg, a competent druggist have been secured to take charge of the dispensing department.
J. TEAGUE, Jr.,
Victoria, July 27, 1888. No. 66 Yates Street. jl28-1m

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